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DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

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The Counties in said district, are entitled in said Convention, to double the number of votes, er rep resentation, that they have in the lewer house of the State Legisla that the delegates to said Conven tion, be appointed, or elected to the same, on Saturday the 2nd day of August, 1584.

By order of the Democratic Cen gressional Committee of said District, this May 31st, 1884.

D. M. KENZIE, Chairman. W. J. STOWERS, See. PRO TEM.

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For any information in regard to exhibits at the New Orleans Exposition, address S. A. Jenas, Aber deen, Miss.

It is announced that the propri eters of the Meridian Mercury and Observer, having made all mecessary arrangements, did, last Tues day, the 1st of July, commence the daily issue of their excellent jour-

Minnisnippi.

Official figures show that Missis sippits one third healthier than either New York or Massachusetts. Mississippi's death rate is less that thirteen to the thousand,

Over three hundred Mississip pians have returned to that state from Texas in the last eighteeu mouths. Corn and cotton look well in Mis

sissippi. There is great scarcity of cotton

seed throughout Mississippi.

The assessment of preparty in Meridian, Miss., foots up a million and three-quarters.

Bilori, Miss, has advanced more on the road of material imprevement in the last twelve months than for many years heretofare.

A boom of sixty thousand saw logdie at Pearlington, Miscissippi, It extends ten miles up the river.

The ontlock for crops in Bust Mis sissippi are very fice, and the fields are clear of grass, and in a high state of culture .- [Allanta Constitutionalist.

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This is an interesting guest. He's witty and he's wise, I think -he sees so many things He has a thousand oves.

A power most responsible And great this guest deth wield; He's braver than the knight of old, Who hid beneath his shield.

He leveth human progress well; Oh, many a one ho's taught; And, as the farmer scatters seed, He broadly scatters thought.

Of interest on the earth, And patiently he tells the news Beside full many a hearth.

In the retirement of my home, This friend doth bring to me, ture. The committee recommends. The words heard in the drawing

And brilliant conterie.

lie te'ls of many varied scenes In countries far away; He chate about the newest beeks, our work. Give us a trial. The concert and the play.

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State elections will be held in Alabama, August 4; Arkansas, September 1st; Georgia, October 1st; Maine, September 8; Ohio, October 14: Vermont, September 2, and West Virginia, October 18.

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